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## SUMMARY OF RECORD OF INTERVIEW

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Dear Sir:

A telephonic interview was had with the Examiner on October 22, 2004.

Claim 1 was discussed and compared with the prior art including Okagaki, Nagashima, Hatcher and Thibeault.

During the course of the interview, the Amendment After Final was discussed as submitted on October 14, 2004.

The undersigned attorney of record pointed out to the Examiner that the point of novelty is the last section of the claim deals with the fact that the vehicle is prevented from operating when the claimed communication device is not in the vehicle.

The undersigned also pointed out that the words "not within the vehicle and" in the last line of the amended claim should be underlined to indicate that these are newly added words.

No agreement was reached in connection with an allowance.

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